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*Messina, March* 18. *N. S.*

TWo Dutch Men of War are lately put into this Port, one bound for *Smirna*, and the other for *Scanderoon*, to bring home their Merchant Ships in those Ports. Two English Vessels passed yesterday in sight of the *Fare*, going from *Leghorne* for *Gallipoli*. The *Sicilian-Galley*, and the *Messina-Factor*, are in this Harbour waiting for the opportunity of a Wind to Sail for *Lippari*, and thence to *England*.

*Rome, April* 5. Cardinal *Grimani* made his Entry here on the 3d instant in the usual manner, and is to receive his Cap from the Pope's own Hand in a Consistory which is Summoned against next Monday for that purpose. It is much discoursed here, That a Marriage is Treating between the King of the *Romans* and the Princess of *Hanover*, Daughter of *John Frederick*, Duke of *Hanover*, who died in the year 1680. The Imperial and Venetian Ambassadors having renewed their Instances for some Supplies towards carrying on the War against the Turks, the Pope has promised to give 60000 Crowns to the Emperor, and half that Sum to the Republick of *Venice*. Count *Altamira*, who arrived here some time ago, with the Character of Ambassador from the King of *Spain*, is preparing for his publick Entry. Frequent Consistories are held to consider of the Affairs of *Poland*, which Kingdom this Court endeavours by all manner of good Offices to restore to its former Tranquillity, that the King of *Poland* may be able to make a Diversion on that side against the Ottoman Forces. The Muscovite Prince *Szeremet* is lately arrived here from *Venice*, with several Muscovite Gentlemen in his Company; and was received by the Pope with a great deal of Civility. The Prince *Ursini*, Duke of *Bracciano*, died lately in this City, and in him ended that Family, which was one of the chiefest and most Ancient Houses in *Italy*.

*Genoua, April* 6. Our Senate having appointed Signior *Justiniani* to go with the Character of their Envoy to His Majesty of *Great Britain*, Orders have been given him to prepare for his departure, and he intends to set out for *England* towards the latter end of this month. Two Gallies of the Duke of *Tursis*'s Squadron are fitting out here to attend the General of the Gallies of *Naples*, who is at *Barcelona*, and intends shortly to go for *Naples*. We hear several Pirates belonging to the Coasts of *Barbary* are Cruising off the Islands of *Corsica* and *Sardinia*.

*Leghorne, April* 7. The *William and Ann* sailed hence last Monday for *Newfoundland*, as did likewise the *Macclesfield*, and the *Mazarine*, for *Gallipoli*, and the St. *Andrew* for *England*.

*Dantzick, April* 19. By our last Letters from *Warsaw* we have Advice, That the King of *Poland* returned to that place the 14th instant; that the Cardinal Primate had put off the Meeting of the Gentlemen of his Party, which he had appointed for the 15th of this month at *Lowitz*, till the 5th of *May*, and that he had sent a Supply of Men and Ammunition to the Sieur *Oginsky*, to enable him to continue his Opposition to the Family of *Sapieha* in *Lithuania*. An Envoy is lately come to *Warsaw* from the Czar of *Muscovy*, to Congratulate the King of *Poland*'s Accession to the Crown, and to Offer in his Masters Name, an Assistance of a considerable number of his Forces. Some of the Elector of *Brandenburg*'s Servants passed by here this week in their way to *Coningsberg*, where his Electoral Highness is expected in 8 or 10 days.

*Vienna, April* 16. The Duke of *Lorraine*, with Prince *Francis Anthony*, his youngest Brother, having taken Leave of their Imperial Majesty's, the King of the *Romans*, and the rest of the Court, set out from this place last Monday, accompanied by General *Aversberg*, and several other Persons of Quality. His Highness will take *Olmutz*, *Prague*, and *Ratisbonne* in his way; and the Prince of *Commerci*, with the young Prince of *Vaudemont*, went hence yesterday morning with a design to overtake him, and accompany him several days Journey. The Preparations against the next Campagne are continued with much diligence, and several Barks are daily sent down the *Danube*, some with Soldiers, and others with Provisions and Ammunition for our Magazines in *Hungary*. The like care is taken to fit out our Fleet on the *Danube*, in order to its being ready by the month of *May*, when it is intended our Armies shall take the Field, and the new built Gallies are to fall down to *Peter Waradin* about that time. Cardinal *Collonitz*, who went lately to *Presburg* to solicite the speedy payment of the Supplies which the States of *Hungary* have agreed to give his Imperial Majesty, is returned here, and has brought 400000 Florins in part of payment. Our last Letters from *Caransebes* inform us, That a Party of Turks being come out of *Temeswaer*, to make an Incursion into the Country thereabouts, some Hussars were sent out of *Sandovir*, who met the Enemy, and put them to flight, killing some, and making others Prisoners; and that a Party of Heydukes had taken several Mules laden with Provisions which were going to *Temeswaer*. The same Advices confirm those we had already received of the arrival of a Bassa with a considerable Sum of Money, and a Reinforcement of 3000 Turks at *Belgrade*; and add, That the Turks raise Men in the Neighbouring Provinces, and force the Country People into their Service.

*Francfort, April* 23. The Circle of the *Upper Rhine* are still assembled, and have now agreed upon the number of Forces they are to furnish towards the Garison of *Philipsburg*. The Count *de Boinenburg*, Envoy from his Imperial Majesty, went hence this morning for *Cassell*. 'Tis believed the French will now in few days Evacuate the Places they are to restore in *Germany*.

*Paris*,